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1. APRIL 27, 1971, LAW REMAINS IN EFFECT. HOWEVER, LAR ARMED FORCES ARE EXEMPT FROM PROVISIONS OF LAW AND SOMETIMES APPLY AND SOMETIMES DISREGARD IT.

2. RECENT AMERICAN BUSINESS VISITORS HAVE TOLD US THAT IN THEIR NEGOTIATIONS WITH MILITARY PROCUREMENT OFFICIALS THEY HAVE HAD TO AGREE TO CLAUSE INVALIDATING ANY CONTRACT IF MILITARY PROCUREMENT OFFICIALS DETERMINE THEY EMPLOYED A LOCAL AGENT. OTHER LAR MILITARY TENDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED EXCLUSIVELY TO LIBYAN COMPANIES WHO IN TURN HAVE SOUGHT FOREIGN SUPPLIERS.

3. CONCLUSION: LAW REMAINS IN EFFECT BUT MILITARY OFTEN MAKES EXCEPTIONS ON AD HOC BASIS.
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